

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Atty. Docket

AHMED NABIL CHARKANI

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Title: RECEIVER, METHOD, SYSTEM AND TELEPHONE FOR IMPROVING THE  
DETECTION OF TRANSMISSION ERRORS

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and examination, please  
amend the above-identified application as follows, where marked-up  
version of the amended claim 5 is attached as Appendix A:

IN THE CLAIM

Please amend the claim as follows:

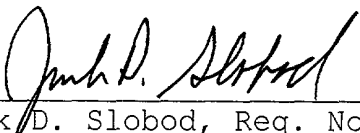
5. (Amended) A receiver as claimed in claim 1, wherein said  
magnitude is representative of an energy of the received signal.

REMARKS

The claim has been amended to delete multiple dependencies.  
The above amendments are submitted to place this application in  
proper U.S. format. Entry of the amendment and an early action on  
the merits are solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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## Appendix A

### Version with Markings to Show Changes Made to the Claim

The following are marked up versions of amended claim 5:

- 1 5. (Amended) A receiver as claimed in claim 1 ~~any one of the~~  
2 ~~preceding claims~~, wherein said magnitude is representative of an  
3 energy of the received signal.